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ERICA LAFFERTY, ET AL. : APPELLATE COURT

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

.

V.

: ALEX EMRIC JONES, ET AL. :

January 30, 2023

MOTION TO RECONSIDER AND SET ASIDE DELINQUENCY ORDER

The appellant, Alex Emric Jones hereby moves this Court to reconsider and set aside the delinquency order issued January 18, 2023.

I. BRIEF HISTORY

The Appellants had judgment entered against them following a jury trial that concluded on October 12, 2022. Thereafter, they timely filed notices of appeal on December 29, 2022. Preliminary papers were then filed on January 9, 2023. Counsel submitted a Transcript Order form on that date with various hearing dates listed, for which the Court Reporter's Acknowledgment form remains outstanding as of the filing of this motion. On January 18, 2023, the court gave counsel notice of a delinquency order, citing deficiencies regarding the Court Reporter's Acknowledgment form.

II. SPECIFIC FACTS

Counsel filed a transcript Order form on January 9, 2023. Counsel's staff communicated with the court reporter via phone call and were told that on Friday, January 27, 2023, the acknowledgment would be provided by the end of the business day. Counsel's staff spoke with the case manager on Wednesday, January 25, 2023, and were advised to file this motion if we had not received the

acknowledgment before lunch on January 30, 2023. As of this filing, that acknowledgment has not been received, but the Court Reporter did claim in a telephone conversation this morning that the Acknowledgment would be available by 3p.m.

III. LEGAL GROUNDS

Pursuant to the Connecticut Rules of Appellate Procedure §§60-1, 60-2, and 60-3, the Court may reconsider and set aside its delinquency order for good cause shown. Here, the delinquency order required a Court Reporter's Acknowledgment be filed by January 30, 2023, but that acknowledgment has not been received. Thus, counsel is unable to make the necessary filing to be in compliance with the Appellate Clerk's request.

In light of the foregoing, counsel respectfully requests that this Court reconsider its delinquency order in the above-captioned appeal and set aside the order and grant another ten days in which to file the Court Reporter's Acknowledgment.

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